



# California Regional Water Quality Control Board Central Valley Region

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**TENTATIVE ORDER AMENDING  
WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS ORDER NO. R5-2008-0059  
(NPDES NO. CA0079103)**

**FOR**

**CITY OF MODESTO  
WATER QUALITY CONTROL FACILITY  
STANISLAUS COUNTY**

**TO ALL CONCERNED PERSONS AND AGENCIES:**

Enclosed is the tentative Order amending Waste Discharge Requirements Order No. R5-2008-0059 for the City of Modesto Water Quality Control Facility. Any comments or recommendations you may have concerning this item should be submitted to this office no later than **26 February 2010** in order for us to give them full consideration prior to the 17/18/19 March 2010 meeting of the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board (Central Valley Water Board).

A Notice of Public Hearing (Notice) concerning the proposed Order is also enclosed. Regulations require that the Discharger publish the Notice in a local newspaper for one (1) day commencing no later than **2 February 2010**. The expense of publication is to be paid by the Discharger. Additionally, by **2 February 2010**, post one (1) copy of the Notice at the nearest city hall or county courthouse, one (1) copy at the post office nearest to the Facility (if allowed), and one (1) copy at the public entrance to the Facility. Proof of posting, using the enclosed form, shall be submitted to this office by **8 February 2010**. Proof of publication shall consist of an affidavit from the newspaper along with a copy of the published notice.

To conserve resources, this letter transmits paper copies of the documents to the Discharger only. Interested persons may download the documents from the Central Valley Water Board's Internet website at [http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board\\_decisions/tentative\\_orders/](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_decisions/tentative_orders/). Copies of

**California Environmental Protection Agency**

these documents can also be obtained by contacting or visiting the Central Valley Water Board's office at 11020 Sun Center Drive, #200, Rancho Cordova, California 95670-6114, weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

Should you have any questions regarding the proposed Order, please contact Ms. Elizabeth Lee at (916) 464-4787 or me at (916) 464-4772.



JAMES D. MARSHALL, P.E.  
Senior Engineer

Enclosures (3) Tentative Order (Discharger Only)  
Notice of Public Hearing (Discharger Only)  
Proof of Posting Form (Discharger Only)

cc: Mr. Dave Smith, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region IX, San Francisco  
US Army Corp of Engineers, Sacramento  
US Fish and Wildlife Service, Sacramento  
US National Marine Fisheries Service, Santa Rosa  
Mr. Phil Isorena, State Water Resources Control Board, Sacramento  
Department of Water Resources, Central District, Sacramento  
State Office of Historical Preservation, Sacramento  
Mr. Joe Spano, Department of Public Health, Environmental Management Branch,  
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Regional Manager, Department of Fish & Game, Region II, Rancho Cordova  
Mr. Steve Macaulay, California Urban Water Agencies, Sacramento  
Mr. Richard Denton, Contra Costa Water District, Concord  
Mr. Dante Nomellini, Jr., Central Delta Water Agency, Stockton  
Mr. John Herrick, South Delta Water Agency, Stockton  
Mr. Eric Parfrey, Sierra Club, Stockton  
Mr. Bill Jennings, California Sportfishing Protection Alliance, Stockton  
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Ms. Megan Anderson, Environmental Advocates, San Francisco  
Mr. Adam Lazar, Environmental Law Foundation, Oakland  
Mr. Dan Nelson, San Luis & Delta-Mendota Water Authority, Los Banos  
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Mr. Dan Madden, City of Turlock, Turlock